

## Shorts About Service Men

### What the Boys are Doing Here and There

Sgt. Ervin Waters now gets his mail through the postmaster at New York, having embarked for the scene of one of our battlefronts. Before he left several weeks ago, Ervin wrote to the boys over there via a letter to the Sierra Sun that "I might be seeing some of you very soon and I hope it's darn soon." He went on to say he enjoyed getting The Sun every week and that "sure helps a guy's morale and believe me we sure need it." He was awarded his first medal recently, "it being a good conduct medal, so I guess I'm not as bad as I thought I was." Erv spent his last weekend pass in Chicago and had a good time. "It's sure easy to get lost in these big cities, but otherwise I made out fairly well," he said. He sent best wishes for a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to his pals here and abroad.

We were not very surprised this week to receive a card from our old "printer's devil" George Keetch who spent three years as the apprentice in The Sun shop, advising us that he was in the navy. "I turn up in some of the funniest places," George writes. "I'm now in the U.S. Navy. What'dya know." Although still only an A. S., we predict great things for George. His parents, Rev. and Mrs. G. J. E. Keetch are now at Susanville.

With three stars on his service ribbon to indicate three major engagements with the Japs in the Pacific, Seaman First Class David Bolender is here this week enjoying a visit with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wolert and with his many local friends. Dave is a patient at the Naval hospital at Oakland receiving treatment for partial deafness, caused he believes by taking too much quinine or from the constant roar of the big guns. He was in the hospital five times with malaria. Dave, who recently passed his 18th birthday, is a real veteran. His first ship, the heavy cruiser, North Hampton, was torpedoed and sunk on December 1. Dave said that after a successful encounter with the Japs, the crew was called to extinguish a fire on board. They had the flames well under control when the magazine exploded and they were forced to abandon ship. Dave was in the water four hours before being picked up by a friendly craft. He was later assigned to a transport and then given shore duty on one of the numerous islands in the South Pacific. He will be here until the end of this month and then reports back to the hospital. Unlike many of the boys from here, Dave signed up for a four-year hitch and still has two and a half years to go, regardless of the war's outcome.

Byron Johnson, who recently returned from the Aleutians where he found conditions very unsatisfactory, is also enjoying a visit here. Dave was selected with a group of 150 from his outfit, to return to the states as a ski instructor. He hopes to be stationed in this area during the coming winter. By tells of his search for a fragment of a bomb dropped on the Aleutian island where he was located by Lt. Earl Edmunds, another Truckee boy, who accomplished more than 50 missions over the islands when the Japs were there. By says the fragment is there with the word "Truckee" well defined, but he had to leave the job of locating it to other local boys still in the area.

Word has been received by friends in Nevada City that Mrs. Raglan Tuttle, widow of the late Judge Tuttle, has been informed that her son, Richard Tuttle, recently reported as missing in action over Europe, is reported a prisoner of war in Germany. He was a bombardier with the famous 8th U.S. Army in England.

Tony Besio stopped briefly here this week en route back to his camp after a visit with his wife at Hanford. He is stationed in Denver.

Tony's kid brother, Ange, is still with the naval hospital unit near San Diego.

WICHITA, Kan., Nov. 11.—Walter F. Mandeville, 25, of Tahoe, husband of Mrs. Mandeville of the Tahoe area has arrived at the University of Wichita for a course of Army Air Force instruction lasting five months prior to his appointment as an aviation cadet in the air forces.

Upon completion of his course, Mandeville will be classified as a pilot, navigator or bombardier.

Mrs. Rose Kiehofer received word this week that her son, Karl, has been promoted to the rank of staff sergeant. Karl enjoys the Sierra Sun which he receives regularly and asked to be remembered to all his friends here and abroad.

#### MATSON FETED BY TELEPHONE GROUP

Chester Matson was the guest of honor at a party given by his co-workers of the Truckee telephone company last Friday evening before he leaves for Oroville where he has been transferred.

Dancing, games and refreshments were enjoyed by 16 friends and Matson was presented with a gift by the group.

Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Nelson went to San Francisco Friday night for a visit with their son, Lt. J. G. Addison Nelson who is now on the Pacific coast again.

Mrs. Lois Noddin of San Mateo had a short message from her son Carl recently. He has been a prisoner of the Japanese since February, 1942.

Pvt. Nick Sassarini dropped in last night for a ten day leave from Camp Roberts. His pal, Pvt. Harry Digesti is expected to arrive tomorrow for the same length of time. Both boys are in the infantry.

#### My Place In The Sun

By CORP. DOUG BARRETT

(Excerpts from letters from some where in the Alaska Theater.)

I have just finished reading the most amusing book I think I have ever tackled. While it's not a kiddie's companion, it is a pip and you would get a lift from it. It is called "Suds in Your Eye," by Mary Lasswell. Let me tell you chums, it's a killer. The plot revolves around three beer-drinking old ladies, one of whom owns a junk yard. I laughed 'til my jaws ached. Recommend it to all my friends who look like they need a tonic. It's just a wee volume and you can read it in a couple of hours—but don't miss a page.

To my own little library I have added "Bonanza Railroads," by Gilbert H. Kneiss, published by Stanford Press. It deals with the history of the San Francisco and San Jose, The Sacramento Valley R. R., the V. and T., to Nevada Central and the Eureka and Palisade R. R. For local railroad interest, I've never read a better. In it I got a record of the "J. W. Bowker," No. 21 of the Virginia and Truckee. The builder as you know was Baldwin. It was a switch engine in the Virginia City yards and named for the waster mechanic of the V and T. A table in the back of the book records that it was sold in 1896 to the Hobart Estate Co. Presented to the Railroad and Locomotive Historical Society and was used in the movie "Union Pacific" and appeared at the N. Y. World's fair in "Railroads on Parade." No. 19 of the railroad was named "Truckee," was built in 1875 and sold in 1901 to the Verdi Lumber Company. No. 20 was the "Tahoe" and was a sister of the "Truckee." In 1942 it was sold to the Amador Central. There was another locomotive named "Tahoe" in service at the same time. It was on the Lake Tahoe narrow gauge (Carson to Tahoe). On the L.T.N.G. it was No. 1, later being sold to the Nevada County Narrow Gauge where it became No. 5.

If I keep this up, I'll write the whole book to you and I don't think the copyrights would allow that. In case anyone is interested, the book fetches \$3.00 at your favorite book store.

Have received Christmas packages but unfortunately I had to open them due to the economy of space but I got in the proper holiday spirit and whistled "Come All Ye Faithful" as I opened them so the spirit was there, even though the calendar was n't up to it yet.

#### QUAIL SEASON TO OPEN NOVEMBER 15

Quail season opens in California November 15, and according to the reports of wardens of the State Division of Fish and Game, hunters may expect good shooting on that day. With few exceptions, there is an abundance of quail in all districts. The bag limit of quail is 10 per day, 10 in possession and 20 per calendar week. All hunters, including members of the armed forces are required to have a state license.

#### SEVERAL HOMES IN TRUCKEE PURCHASED

Several local houses have recently changed owners, it was reported this week.

N. S. McCrary bought the C. M. Matson home on High Street; the George Waters family purchased the James Stephani place on Trout creek; Clarence Osburn is the new owner of the W. L. Murray house on Cora Street and N. F. Dolley purchased the A. Filippic home on Church St.

#### TRUCKEE NATIVE DIES AT CAPITAL

Funeral services were held Saturday in Sacramento for Mrs. Teresa M. Norcross, who died in a Sacramento hospital. She was a native of Truckee, 46 years of age. She leaves her husband, Homer Norcross and a son, Morley Bell Norcross both of Sacramento.

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## Boys Nabbed In Truckee Foiled In 2nd Escape

### Lock Sawed Off Door Of Sacramento Jail By Culprits

An attempt to escape from the jail in the United States Marshal's office in Sacramento was added to the long list of crimes attributed to a 12 year old and a 14 year old boy, who were apprehended here two weeks ago by Sergeant E. W. Reynolds of the state highway patrol and clerks at the quarantine station.

Deputy U. S. Marshal Westley Erich reported the two boys, Robert Edson, 12, and James Robinson, 14, both of Ogden, Utah, filed a lock from the jail door last Saturday. The broken lock and file were found, but the boys were on the fourth floor of the building and so could not escape even after their attempt.

The two boys with two others of the same age, escaped from the detention home in Sacramento earlier in the week by knotting sheets together and sliding to the ground. Erich said nothing to improvise a rope was available in the latter attempt.

The boys were arrested here after they allegedly stole a light truck in Ogden, stole gasoline in two towns and were nabbed en route to Sacramento late one night at the quarantine station. Both readily admitted stealing several cars in Utah this summer.

The parents were notified but had shown no inclination to come to the aid of the pair.

#### NEW BOOKS ARRIVE FOR LIBRARY AT WYETHIA CLUB

Mrs. W. C. Gage, chairman of the Wyethia Club's library committee, announced the arrival of several new rental books this week.

They include Reprisal by Vance; The Uninvited by Macardie; So Little Time by Marquand; The Robe by Douglas; Undercover by Carlson and the Valley of Decision by Davenport.

The library is open to the public in the club building each Friday afternoon between 3 and 4:30 o'clock.

#### CHARTS WILL SHOW LICENSE FEES DUE

Charts showing the amounts due in motor vehicle license tax and registration fees for 1944 on all types of motor vehicles will be placed in Truckee gasoline service stations about December 1.

While the fees due in 1944 will be exactly the same as were paid for license renewal this year, vehicle owners of this district who do not remember how much they paid this year may ascertain the amounts they will have to pay for 1944 registration by consulting the charts.

Gordon H. Garland, director of the department of motor vehicles, announces this arrangement has been made with the California Petroleum Industry Committee in order to eliminate the expense of mailing special notifications of amounts due to nearly 3,000,000 vehicle owners in the state.

#### HUNTERS URGED TO BUY PHEASANT TAGS

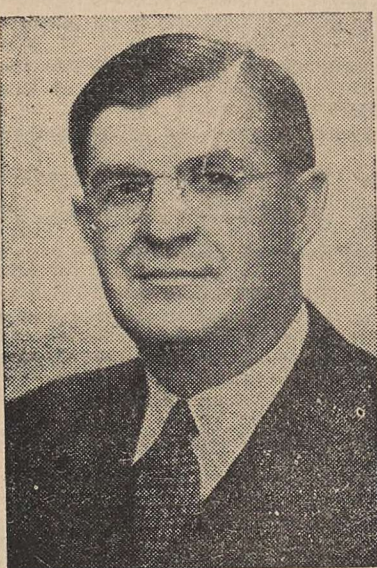
Hunters planning on hunting pheasants on the opening day—Sunday, November 28—are urged to purchase their pheasant tags early to avoid the last minute rush. Since Thursday, November 25, is a legal holiday, only two days would remain for hunters to purchase their tags. It is doubtful if the license agent could have enough supply of tags to accommodate those who delay in obtaining tags.

#### MOTORISTS ASKED TO CONSERVE GAS

Lt. General Delos C. Emmons, commanding general of the Western Defense Command, has called upon all motorists to help avert a "gasoline shortage in the west of drastic proportions" and an "alarming shortage of tires."

Despite tremendous increases in the output of refineries, less gasoline is available for civilian use. Less automobile gasoline is being processed from each barrel of crude oil as increasing amounts of oil go into high octane aviation fuel, toluene for explosives, butadiene for synthetic rubber and into scores of other petroleum war products, it was explained.

#### Will Address Lions



JUSTUS CRAEMER

#### STATE OFFICIAL TO SPEAK HERE AT LIONS CLUB MEET

"California's Part in the War." This will form the topic of a talk to be given next Wednesday evening at the meeting of the Truckee Lions Club by Justus F. Craemer, Orange County newspaper publisher and now a member of the Railroad Commission of California. Craemer comes to Truckee upon an invitation from N. F. Dolley, president of the club.

The speaker is widely known in state political and newspaper circles. Aside from publishing the Orange Daily News and conducting a citrus ranch in Orange County, Craemer for 20 years was vice president of the California Press Association, a member of the California State Board of Agriculture from 1923 to 1928; President of the California Newspaper Publishers Association in 1929; President of the National Editorial Association in 1932 and railroad commissioner since 1939 and president of the board last year.

His talk should be of vital interest to everyone and all Lions are being urged to bring guests to the meeting, Dolley announced.

Craemer will be accompanied by A. C. Seidel of Sacramento and will speak Wednesday noon before the Auburn Rotary Club.

#### COUNTY GETS SHARE OF STATE GAS TAX

State Controller Harry B. Riley today appropriated \$13,020.54 in gasoline tax money to Nevada County as part of a \$11,038,250 distribution for the quarter ending last September 30. Nevada county's share was computed on the basis of a motor vehicle registration of 4,972.

Controller Riley said the appropriation was \$1,970,646 of 15.15 per cent less than that for the corresponding quarter last year.

#### MORE STOVES ARE ALLOWED LOCALLY

Eligible householders who were unable to get ration certificates to purchase stoves in the past because the month's quota was exhausted were asked today by C. B. White, clerk of the local board to apply again for a certificate. Because of an increase in the monthly quota stove purchase certificates which the board may issue, White feels certain that everyone eligible will be granted a certificate to purchase one.

#### RETURNED SOLDIERS SPEAK AT ROTARY

Seaman Dave Bolender and Pvt. Byron Johnson told of some of their experiences on the war fronts before a meeting of the Rotary Club Monday night. Ben Lewis was the program chairman and D. W. Bowen presided. The talks were both very interesting and all present agreed it was one of the best programs ever presented here. The narratives were thrilling. There were 12 members at the meeting.

#### NO RATION BOOKS 1 AND 2 AVAILABLE

No more copies of War Ration Books One or Two will be issued for any purpose whatsoever, C. B. White, clerk of the local ration board has announced.

All stamps in the two books have now expired with the exception of Stamp 18 for shoes, which is valid until further notice, and blue stamps X, Y and Z in Book Two, which expire November 20. These stamps should be safeguarded against loss for they cannot be replaced.

## .. Sun .. Beams

By WALTER M. BARRETT

There can be no argument on the many nation-wide reports that juvenile delinquency is becoming a major problem. We are not equipped to tell what steps should be taken to prevent this condition, but are willing to blame parental laxity and general war hysteria. The two Ogden, Utah, boys apprehended here last week who at the ages of 12 and 14 years readily admitted, although without bragging, that they have stolen no less than five cars during the past summer, is good evidence of the trend. Only a few weeks ago three youths, 13, and 14 years old broke out of the jail here after admitting the theft of money and burglary and their attitude was not different from that of the more recent case. None seemed a bit disturbed by their criminal activities but rather took them as a matter of course. We believe that the trouble in many cases can be traced to family life, but the source does not provide the answer. Juvenile delinquency is a public problem and it's up to the public to correct it.

Today we are celebrating the end of the war "to end all wars" and "make democracy safe." Strangely enough a quarter of a century ago we believed that. Then as time went on we found that instead of ending wars we had gone through only an experimental stage of the conflict and as we now celebrate the Armistice of 1918, we can only pray that when the present conflict is ended we will profit by the mistakes 25 years ago and this time sincerely take steps that will lead to peace and not empty promise. The men who fought the last war did all that any army can do—they won the fight but left the making of the peace in the laps of politicians. This time we hope that the men doing the fighting will be given an opportunity to share in the terms of post-war plans. Maybe then we can really say that this is the war to end all wars.

Dillon Meyer and his Japs at the Tule Lake camp are finally proving a point. That is that the little sons of heaven are not to be trusted even behind walls and guards. And yet we read of kind-thinking people who are actually raising money to provide the Jap internees with Christmas packages. And Japan cries that the Americans are taking a cowardly attitude in the punishment of the Japs in this country. We wonder if the good Jap women in Japan are preparing parcels for the American boys held there.

#### ACTION URGED IN DONNER DREDGING

This week the dredger of the Truckee Carson Irrigation District which has been "restoring the old channel" at the outlet of Donner Lake was removed but not until a considerable channel had been cut.

This week we are in receipt of a copy of a letter sent to Edward Hyatt State Engineer by Edward Fennon, manager of the Sacramento Valley district of the State Chamber of Commerce, calling attention to the resolution passed here some time ago by the legislative interim committee investigating possible damage to the lake by dredging the outlet. The recommendation follows:

That the State Division of Water Resources determine legal ownership—if any—of the Donner Lake bed and determine the height of the sill over which water is now taken out of Donner Lake.

The Water Division has not announced any further steps.

#### LARGE SUM IN FINES IS COLLECTED HERE

Among the pay-ins to the county treasurer this month is a total of \$788.50 from the Truckee Justice Court. All the money represents fines and fees collected by Judge C. E. Smith.

#### ENGLE NAMED ON LANDS COMMITTEE

Representative Clair Engle, California's newest member of congress, has been appointed to the house lands committee of which the late Harry L. Englebright, whom Engle succeeded, was a member. Engle represents this district. At present he is at Tule Lake investigating the reported Japanese uprising in the camp there.

## Sixth Accident In Ten Days Is Fatal To Driver

### None of Accidents Involve Other Vehicles On Highways

The sixth motor vehicle accident within the past ten days in the area between Truckee and the Nevada state line, Tuesday cost the life of James Oliver Patterson, 44, 524 Ash Avenue, Inglewood, and completely demolished a huge tractor and semitrailer which he was driving.

The mishap occurred about 300 yards west of the state line in Sierra County. Evidently Patterson, driving west from the Tonopah Air Base where he had been employed, fell asleep at about 7:30 a.m. and the truck crossed the highway and ran into a huge rock near the road. The marks indicated the vehicle was not traveling at a moderate speed when the accident happened.

The driver was pinned in the cab of the truck and the body was badly mangled. It took nearly three hours to free the body from the cab.

The equipment belonged to the Paxton Trucking Company of Los Angeles, according to State Patrolman H. B. Fowler, who made the investigation. Deputy Coroner N. F. Dolley was called to take charge of the body which was brought to Truckee.

Negros Escape Four Oakland residents, all Negros, escaped injury Tuesday morning when a sedan driven by Joe William, 39, of the bay city, left the highway and crashed into a pile of rocks near the Boca campground. The car was registered to Marlon C. Garron, who was a passenger in the machine. Patrolman William Gautsche investigated and cited the driver for not having a driver's license.

L. A. Man in Mishap David H. Archibald, 52, Los Angeles, was not seriously injured when the new car he was driving left the highway near the state line Thursday night at 11:15 and crashed into a tree beside the road. Archibald, told State Patrolman William Gautsche, who investigated, that he was forced off the road by a truck and a car, the latter attempting to pass the truck.

Recent Mishaps Strangely all six accidents during the past ten days did not involve other machines, and all went off the wrong side of the road. Three of the accidents, two of them fatal and a third near fatal involved men from the Tonopah Air Base. Floyd Brown, 23, of Sanger was killed October 31 when his truck went through the guard rail at Hirschdale overpass. Orville Chandler, 35, of Eugene, Ore., was badly injured when the car driven by Frank Shaw went through the guardrail near Hirschdale November 2, causing a brush fire and Arthur Coulliard of Donner Summit Lodge and a passenger in his car escaped with minor injuries November 3 when a tire blew out near Boca to wreck Coulliard's machine on the rocks.

#### LIONS START DRIVE FOR WAR CHEST HERE

The meeting of the Truckee Lions Club last night was devoted to plans for Truckee's participation in the War Fund Drive which the club will sponsor. Although off to a late start, the club members are enthusiastic and will double their efforts in an earnest attempt to raise the quota of more than \$1100 here. N. F. Dolley presided at the meeting and several volunteers agreed to devote time to the important drive immediately.

R. N. Little, committee chairman, said booths would be installed in local establishments where donors may contribute to the worthy cause within the next few days.

#### FOREST EMPLOYEES PROVIDE OWN FOOD

Producing food to supply the kitchens of the Forest Service Fire Suppression camps proved to be a successful venture during the past fire season, reports Guerdon Ellis, Tahoe National Forest supervisor.

Ellis said the food produced in the forest sponsored gardens supplied an abundance of fresh food in addition to reducing transportation of perishable supplies to mountain camps.

Slaughtering of locally grown live stock, although on a rationed basis, made fresh meat available when virtually unobtainable on the market. Ellis stated that the appetites of the some 60 high school boys in the suppression crews of the Tahoe forest really taxed the ingenuity of the camp cooks.



## GARLAND RENEWS FIGHT FOR FUNDS

Director of Motor Vehicles Gordon Garland this week requested the Federal Works Agency to reconsider the departments application for \$1,881,679 in federal aid funds.

The funds are sought under the Lanham Act to pay for community services performed by the highway patrol and other agencies of the department in connection with the war effort. Garland's action followed receipt of a letter from the Federal

Works Agency which held the services performed cannot be considered community facilities or public works under provisions of the Lanham Act.

Garland contended that policing and traffic control of streets and roads used by war workers or for transportation of war materials is a military necessity and can be regarded as public work under the act.

Garland said it would be necessary to discontinue these services unless federal aid is forthcoming inasmuch as the motor vehicles department has no funds to continue them.

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## LEGAL NOTICE

### No. 4351 NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of L. P. McKELVEY, also known as LARRY McKELVEY, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned SARAH McKELVEY, administratrix with the will annexed of the Estate of L. P. McKelvey, also known as Larry McKelvey, deceased, to the Creditors of, and all persons having claims against the deceased to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers to the said SARAH McKELVEY, Front Street, Truckee, County of Nevada, State of California, which said office the undersigned designates as her place of business in all matters connected with said estate of said deceased, within six months after the date of the first publication of this Notice.

Dated this 5th day of November, 1943.

SARAH McKELVEY, Administratrix with the will annexed of the estate of L. P. McKelvey, also known as Larry McKelvey, Deceased.

Gerald R. Johnson attorney for said Administratrix.

The first publication of this notice was made on the 11th day of November, 1943. D9-5t

Crutches will support a cripple but not a family, says the Department of Motor Vehicles. Drive carefully!

## LEGAL NOTICE

### NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY UNDER DEED OF TRUST

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by Placer County Title Company, party of the second part named in that certain deed of trust bearing date on the 9th day of December, 1937, and made and executed by J. O. Jones and Bertha Jones, his wife, to Placer County Title Company, a corporation, second party, and Placer County Bank, a corporation, as third party, and found recorded in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Nevada, in Book 40 of Official Records, at page 170, et seq., that the real property described in said deed of trust and hereinafter described will on the 3rd day of December, 1943, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock a. m. or said day, in front of the courthouse in Nevada City, California, be sold at public auction. Said real property, being the real property described in said deed of trust, is described as follows:

All that portion of the Southwest Quarter of Section 23, Township 17 North, Range 14 East, M. D. B. & M., described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point which bears from the quarter section corner between Sections 22 and 23, Township 17 North, Range 14 East, M.D.B. & M., North 85 degrees 40 seconds East 439.93 feet and North 6 degrees 10 seconds West 168.00 feet from quarter section corner; thence North 6 degrees 10 seconds West 100 feet; thence South 83 degrees 50 sec-

onds West 125 feet; thence South 6 degrees 10 seconds East 100 feet; thence North 83 degrees 50 seconds East 125 feet to the place of beginning.

That said sale will be made for cash, legal tender of the United States, to the highest bidder.

That a notice of default under said deed of trust has heretofore been filed in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Nevada, State of California, and more than 90 days have elapsed since the filing of said notice of default, and the defaults under said deed of trust still continue.

Terms and conditions of sale: Cash, legal tender of the United States, payment to be made in full upon acceptance of the amount bid.

Dated: November 6, 1943.

PLACER COUNTY TITLE COMPANY.

By JAMES H. BARR, Jr., Secretary.

T. L. CHAMBERLAIN, Attorney for Trustee. D2-4t

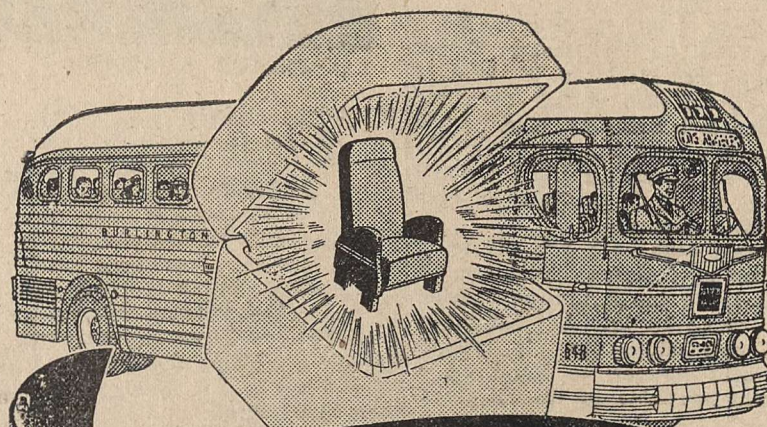
## NO CHANGE NOTED IN NEEDY RELIEF

The number of needy people receiving public assistance in Nevada County showed practically no change when June and September relief rolls are compared, while the amount of relief paid out in the county increased by 26 per cent, California Taxpayers' Association stated today, reporting on its study of public relief in California counties.

In September 660 persons were receiving public assistance in the county and \$27,255 in relief was paid out. In June 659 persons received \$21,581, the association found.

Numbers receiving aid to dependent children showed a drop from 106 in June to 95 in September. General county relief was paid out to 35 persons in June and to 23 in September. Aid to the needy aged was paid to 499 persons in this county in June and 525 in September.

The lake level Monday stood at 6227.16 with 237 CSF of water leaving the gates. Early morning low temperature Monday was 28, some warmer than for the past week. Skies were overcast Monday, but there was no wind and the barometer was high.



## BUS SEATS ARE PRECIOUS THESE DAYS

There are not enough seats nor enough buses to carry everyone who wants to travel.

Persons employed at war factories, shipyards, munition plants, military camps, or other vital war work.

Inductees going to reception centers.

The boys and girls in Uncle Sam's proud uniforms who are home on furloughs.

Those visiting their own boys or girls in the service.

To all these persons traveling is necessary. There are so many of them, they fill almost every seat on nearly every bus schedule. Yes, bus seats are precious these days. However, if for some urgent reason you must travel, please consult our agent about the best schedule, the least crowded days, and the most direct route.

**AS TO THANKSGIVING:** Ordinarily we are able to use extra equipment to handle the extra travel at Thanksgiving time. Now—with all America consecrated to Victory—there are no idle buses. But we hope and pray that by another year we can say, "Come along. We'll take you whenever and wherever you want to go."

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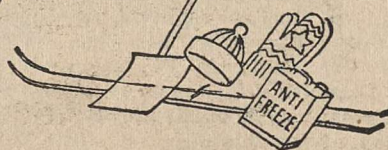
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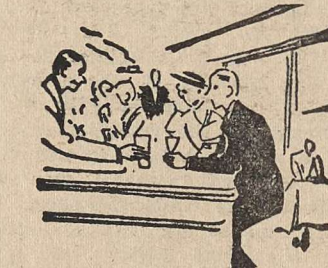
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# LAKE TAHOE NEWS

(BY SWANEE)

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## SKI CLUB MARKETS TREES TO PAY OFF DEBT ON PROPERTY

TAHOE CITY, Nov. 11.—Directors of the Lake Tahoe Ski Club met at Anderson's Village store in town on Wednesday evening with Harry Johanson presiding. Their purpose was to divine means of paying off interest and principal due on the club's ski hill property, location of the new ski jump and warming house near the Tavern golf links.

They decided, following a suggestion from A. M. Anderson to cut Christmas trees from the property and a group consisting of Johanson, Anderson, Jack Starratt, Jimmie Swanson, Dennis, Moore, Bobbie Stark, Al Luhrs and Godfrey Damon, a guest at the Anderson home over the week end, responded on Sunday morning.

A total of 152 trees were harvested which it is estimated will bring at least 35 cents a foot, each tree averaging \$1.75. According to Johanson, this will net the club approximately \$266 for the trees. It is planned to repeat the performance next Sunday and the combined proceeds will pay off all the indebtedness on the property.

Some members wish to revive the weekly meetings of the club, which has remained inactive like other

## Tahoe Briefs

According to information received at Tahoe last week another of Tahoes most prominent summer residents passed away. It was Dr. Z. H. Ellis, nose and throat specialist of New York, husband of a member of the well known Hills family of Hills Coffee fame, whose three daughters, Phyllis, Marilyn and Barbara Jean, were familiar figures in the social activities of the younger set a few years past. The family summer home is located on the Truckee river.

Bill Johnston of Homewood Wednesday made his annual trip to Sacramento where he is visiting with his mother, now 99 years old, as is his custom each fall.

Local friends of the Henry Worden family of Ward Creek are this week receiving announcements in the mail of the coming marriage of their son James to Miss Jeanne Anne Gallagher daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Francis Gallagher of San Leandro. The wedding is scheduled for November 13 at 10 a.m. at Saint Leander's church of that city. Their many local friends wish them every happiness.

clubs during the war, and wish to put on a membership drive. A second meeting will be held one evening soon to determine the wishes of the majority.

## TAHOE LETTER

### To the Service Men

From SWANEE

Tahoe City, Nov. 7th  
Today has been a beautiful Sunday sunny most of the day with only fleeting clouds dimming the afternoon occasionally. It has been a momentous day with anniversary celebrations occurring both in America and abroad. The Russians today observe the 26th anniversary of the great revolution which gave them a new order under which to live. An order which, for them, proven ostensively successful and satisfactory; it is the birthday of the United States Marine Corps and marks the observance of one year ago of the landing of our American forces on African shores, the scene of that hard-fought allied victory which has been followed by continued success all along the war fronts of the world.

#### Hears Army Hour

I listened today to the Army Hour, as is my usual Sunday custom, and was gratified to learn that fitting respect was paid to patriots of this and other wars who have given their lives in supreme sacrifice. Both Secretary of War Stimson and General Dwight Eisenhower paid highest tribute to the calibre of the men making up the forces of America and her allies, and their sincerity came not merely from the lips, but straight from the heart. It is comforting to the folks on the home front to know that these great leaders into whose hands your lives are given, are men of highest moral integrity and human understanding, with a real appreciation of your courage and dauntless determination, and not automatons similar to the German machine, expecting only blind, coldblooded obedience. Eisenhower declared that America was proud of and grateful to you boys in uniform, who are spreading good will and friendship wherever your duties lead you, and admired the spirit which was demanding revenge for the death of your gallant comrades of whom he said: "They are not dead... their spirits march under a new command." England and Russia too, are emerging from that first terrible blackness to the dawn of a new day, red with the priceless blood of millions who died that the ideals of justice and decency might survive for their loved ones... ideals cherished by Americans like you and me. No sacrifice suffered by us on the homefront in the days to come can ever equal that of our departed comrades. May the final conclusion of this war prove they have not died in vain! And with our eyes on righteous objectives, and our faith in God, we can not lose. I listened to returned service men speaking from the Walter Reed hospital in Washington, recounting their experiences in battle which won for them the purple heart award. One, a Nebraska sergeant, told of his jump via parachute from his plane over German territory despite the fact that

one of his legs had been shot off. But observers were awaiting him on the ground and within little more than an hour, German doctors had operated upon him and he was resting in a hospital cot, prisoners of war receiving the same treatment given German soldiers. Surely this humane service contrasts vividly to the Jap idea of hospitalization and should be remembered during final accounting. He told of the Red Cross food 'combines' formed by the American prisoners, who in groups of six or eight men shared their parcels upon arrival, the Red Cross packages being like manna from heaven. He told of the formation of classes in aviation, languages, and other subjects, which kept them from going stir-crazy, the Germans marveling at Yankee ingenuity in keeping occupied. Upon learning he was to be an exchange prisoner his delight knew no bounds, but the greatest thrill he will ever experience came upon arriving back in the good old USA! His gravest bit of advice to the homefronters was to keep the mail from home coming regularly. Nothing could ever take its place.

#### Red Cross Announcement

And speaking of the Red Cross reminds me of a local announcement which should be made at this time. Mrs. Evelyn Bliss, chairman of the Tahoe Chapter has declined the chairmanship of the present drive in behalf of the National War Chest Fund which this year combines all the charitable and emergency agencies, except the Red Cross, which ministers to the service men and our needy allies. She does not have a car and is handicapped because of the long distances between families this year. So any Tahoe resident wishing to do his or her bit, and is should be the most generous amount he can afford, is invited to send a check to the National War Fund in care of Mrs. Virginia Fleming, treasurer, Auburn, Calif., in care of the Placer County Bank or they may leave it with Mrs. Bliss who will forward it to the Auburn office. Any amount is acceptable.

#### Sends Thanks to Ladies

Of local interest too, was a letter received by Mrs. Bliss last week from Sgt. Albert K. Tresmond of Ward 74A, naval hospital in Oakland, who wrote to express the most sincere and enthusiastic praise for the two woolen afghans made by ladies of the Tahoe region and given to the hospital for use by the patients. The sergeant and his buddies declared words could not express how much they appreciated the warm covering. One afghan was made entirely by Mrs. Harry Johanson and the other was made by various ladies of the community each of whom made the blocks from scrap wool on hand. They were not made with Red Cross yarn but with materials donated by the ladies themselves.

#### Anniversaries

Two events taking place today included the wedding anniversary of the Herbert Watsons of Tahoe City, married 39 years and bound for a celebration in Truckee... and the first solo flight of Miss Edna Wheat, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wheat who now has 15 hours in the air to her credit at the school she is attending. Edna phoned her mother today that she had taken off and landed alone three separate times. After completing 35 hours required flying time, Edna plans to attend a ground

school where she can perfect her knowledge before entering the Wasps.

#### Escapes Injury

From Dick Carnell, now at Camp Gruber, Oklahoma, his mother heard last week that he narrowly escaped injury when the jeep which his buddy was driving, overturned on a muddy road after skidding, pinning him under it. They were returning to the barracks after maneuvers. Dick is kept in training from dawn to dark, the rifle range being one of his favorite spots, and he is studying hard. He likes his new army life, and is kept so busy he hasn't much time to get lonesome, he says.

#### Letter from "Scoop"

From our good friend Assemblyman Allen (Scoop) Thurman of the Colfax Record we had a nice letter last week, praising our weekly Service Letter to our boys and thanking me for the brief poetic contribution which we were happy to offer for his superlative 28-page 35th anniversary edition, published October 22 and mailed to the service men from his district now scattered all over the world.

#### Enjoy News Letter

Also want to acknowledge a note from our summer neighbor, Mrs. William Lambert of Tahoe Park, now wintering in Visalia, who kindly sent us information regarding the whereabouts of Mrs. Gerda Kvistberg from whom we also heard the same week. The Lamberts declare they greatly enjoy the News Letter each week in the Sierra Sun.

Must leave you again for another week and trust this finds you all as encouraged by the good news from the battle fronts as it leaves us. And we'd like to venture a prediction that is no military secret (that is, you don't have to keep it under your hat!)... Like some of the analytical experts, we too believe that Germany is showing signs of punch-drunkness and it may not be long before we'll be seeing the white flag supplanting the swastika. Here's hoping!

Good luck, good cheer and good hunting from the folks back home and may Victory and Peace be the reality before the end of 1943. As ever, SWANEE.

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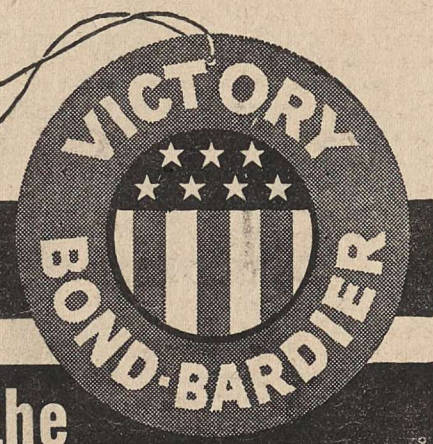


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By Mrs. Harrie Tackett, Reporter

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**Fosters Leaving—**

Mr. and Mrs. Judson Foster and daughter Janice are leaving December 1 for Crescent City to make their home for the duration.

**In City—**

George Kamp, Jr., is a San Francisco visitor this week.

**Out of Hospital—**

J. F. Lichtenberger is at his home in Auburn after spending three weeks in the Southern Pacific hospital in San Francisco. He will return here this week.

**In Roseville—**

Mrs. H. G. Loehr spent several days with her sister, Mrs. G. W. Bryant in Roseville.

**Recovers Health—**

Mrs. J. H. Bernard has recovered from her recent illness.

**Lazy Guests—**

Mrs. Esther Brown and children of Smith Valley were guests of the W. H. Laitys this week. She is the former Miss Snell who taught here in the grammar school.

**From Tacoma—**

L. Mitchell has returned from Tacoma where he was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Zoebel.

**Entertains Class—**

Charlotte Gates entertained the members of her class, the sixth grade and others in her home recently. Twenty-six children enjoyed an evening of dancing.

**At Capital—**

Maude Ardinger who has been in Truckee working during the summer went to Sacramento this week.

**Russis Return—**

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Russi of Sacramento returned to Truckee to live this week.

**Employed at Field—**

Miss Azad Joseph is employed in a doctor's office at McClelland Field near Sacramento.

**Reported Ill—**

Mrs. Arthur Kehm was reported to be ill at her home yesterday.

**Griffin Here—**

Thomas Griffin of Petaluma, former local teacher, spent the weekend here.

**Comes Home—**

Mrs. Elsie Powell returned on Sunday from an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Jess Maxsom in Carson City.

**School Closes—**

Both the grammar and high school closed for the observance of Armistice Day today. The postoffice, bank and other public offices were closed for the day.

**Sees Cousin—**

Lieutenant Forrest Campbell of Sacramento visited his cousin, Mrs. Della Burlingham Monday.

**Returns Here—**

Mrs. Edith Fay has returned from Tacoma where she visited her daughter, Mrs. L. E. Zoebel and family.

**Guest in South—**

Miss Elizabeth Gates local girl now living in San Francisco, is in Los Angeles and vicinity this week. She is the guest of her great aunt Mrs. C. F. Watkins in Hollywood and her cousins, Lt. and Mrs. Sigmund L. Milford of Long Beach.

**Visits Parents—**

Mrs. Milton Mapes of Lichfield, Nevada, is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Snider.

**With Family—**

W. F. Wilkie has returned from a few days stay with his daughter, Mrs. F. W. Vollmar and family and son W. F. Wilkie, Jr., and wife in San Francisco.

**From City—**

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wolert and Mrs. Louise Gilman have returned from a trip to San Francisco where they visited relatives. Their son, Dave accompanied them home and is enjoying a month's furlough.

**In Hospital—**

Mrs. H. O. Anderson underwent an appendectomy on Sunday at a Reno hospital and is convalescing satisfactorily.

**Now in Utah—**

Claude Herrold, formerly stationed at the Donner Summit Airways station went this week from southern California to Salt Lake where he will be working for a month.

**Back from South—**

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tassano recently returned from Santa Monica where the former attended a school in connection with his work at the Donner Airways station.

**Hunting—**

Arthur (Slim) Ellert left Tuesday for a hunting trip in the Sacramento Valley, following the return of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Cabona from a business trip to San Francisco.

**McKeens Move—**

Highway Patrol Sergeant and Mrs. C. A. McKeen have recently moved from Sacramento to Fair Oaks in the Sacramento district. They are former Truckee residents.

**To Hayward—**

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Sorensen of Tahoe Vista have moved to Hayward for the winter.

**In Rossarini House—**

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Bradbury have moved to the Rossarini apartment on High Street.

**Return to Sacramento—**

Mr. and Mrs. A. Filipic returned to Sacramento this week after spending several days here on business.

**Earl Smith Returns—**

Earl Smith surprised his family on Wednesday by arriving home from the S. P. Hospital at San Francisco after an absence of five months.

**Church Notes . . .**

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